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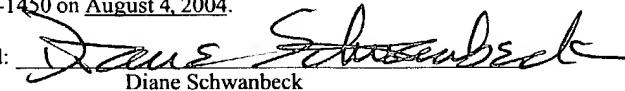
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:) Attorney Docket No. SUNMP298
Quinn A. JACOBSON et al.)) Examiner: Barry J. O'Brien
Application No. 09/643,896)) Group Art Unit: 2183
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Applicants request that the amendments and arguments set forth in the previously filed proposed Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(b), which was mailed on June 3, 2004, be considered and further submit that this paper satisfies the submission requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. A copy of the previously filed proposed Amendment is attached.

Applicants are attaching a check in the amount of \$1,190.00 to cover the RCE fee of \$770.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and the two-month extension of time fee of \$420.00 required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17.

In the event additional fees are due to enable the filing of this RCE, the Commissioner (or the Director) is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. SUNMP298).

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